

**DRAFTER'S NOTE**  
**FROM THE**  
**LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU**

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ARG:bjk:ph

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ATTN: Joel Nilsestuen

Please review the attached draft carefully to ensure that it is consistent with your intent.

DOT has previously opposed the unrestricted operation of NEVs on state trunk highways, even those having a speed limit of 35 mph or less.

DOT has also taken the position that operation of an NEV on a highway where operation is not authorized constitutes operation of an unregistered vehicle for which a citation may be issued. Do you want to add a provision in the bill that adopts and clarifies DOT's position or that otherwise specifically prohibits operation of NEVs where they are not authorized by municipal ordinance?

Please let me know if you would like any changes made to the attached draft or if you have any questions. If the attached draft meets with your approval, let me know and I will convert it to an introducible "/1" draft.

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